GOVERNMENT OF INDIA
WATER RESOURCES
LOK SABHA

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UPPER KOLAB IRRIGATION PROJECT
Majhi Shri Parsuram

Will the Minister of WATER RESOURCES be pleased to state:

(a) the estimated cost of Upper Kolab Irrigation Project in Orissa;

(b) whether the project has not yet been completed despite it being accorded clearance in September 2000; and

(c) if so, the reasons for inordinate delay and by when the project is likely to be completed?

Answer

THE MINISTER OF STATE IN THE MINISTRY OF WATER RESOURCES (SHRI JAI PRAKASH NARAYAN YADAV)

(a) to (c) As reported by the Government of Orissa, the latest estimated cost of Upper Kolab Project is Rs. 492.32 crore and more than ninety nine per cent work of the project has been completed. The project is scheduled to be completed by March, 2005.